CITY OF GOSHEN



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DATE:

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TO:

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FROM:

Shannon Marks

SUBJECT:

IURC Rulemaking No. 04-02

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MESSAGE:

On behalf of the City of Goshen Common Council, please accept the following resolution as a public comment to the IURC's proposed rule establishing new

customer service rights and responsibilities.

RESOLUTION 2004 - 39_

A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOSHEN, INDIANA SUPPORTING RULES ESTABLISHING REASONABLE UTILITY DEPOSITS

WHEREAS, the Common Council recognizes that utility deposits are difficult for low income residents to pay and may create a hardship upon them and the community service organizations that provide assistance to them; and

WHEREAS, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission is proposing changes to the administrative rules on customer service rights and responsibilities, which include rules dealing with utility deposits; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council supports rules establishing reasonable utility deposits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Goshen, Indiana that the Common Council encourages the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission to adopt rules and regulations establishing reasonable utility deposits in an effort to reduce the potential hardships imposed upon sectors of the population.

This resolution is duly passed by the Common Council of the City of Goshen, Indiana on the 9th day of November, 2004.

Allan Kauffman, Presiding Officer

Attest:

Tina M. Bontrager, Clerk-Treasurer

This resolution, having been passed by the Common Council, is presented by me to the Mayor for his approval on the 9th day of November, 2004.

Tina M. Bontrager, Clerk-Treasured

This resolution, having been passed by the Common Council and presented to me is approved by me and duly adopted on the 9th day of November, 2004414

Allan Kauffman, Mayor